

## Message Text

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TAGS: AORG ETEL OCON PFOR GE

SUBJECT: ITU MEMBERSHIP FOR GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC

REF: GENEVA 1384; STATE 227983

1. THERE ARE NOW 85 AFFIRMATIVE VOTES ON GDR MEMBERSHIP IN ITU.
2. DEPSEC GEN BUTLER JUST INFORMED MISSION THAT TWO ADDITIONAL VOTES WERE BY TELEGRAM FROM UNITED KINGDOM WHICH ALSO INCLUDED DISCLAIMER.
3. GUNTER SCHUMANN, FIRST SECRETARY OF THE GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC MISSION IN GENEVA, TELEPHONED THE TELECOMMUNICATIONS ATTACHE THIS MORNING, DESCRIBED THE CIRCUMSTANCES SURROUNDING THE GDR APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP IN THE ITU INCLUDING THE CURRENT VOTE COUNT AND VAGUELY WONDERED ABOUT THE US POSITION ON THE MATTER. HE WAS TOLD THAT THE US MISSION WAS AWARE OF THE SITUATION BUT DID NOT KNOW WHEN THE DEPARTMENT MIGHT REPLY TO THE ITU CONSULTATION TELEGRAM. RIMESTAD

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